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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §254 and 37 C.F.R. §1.322, this is a request for a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. The mistakes identified in the appended Form were incurred through the fault of the Patent and Trademark Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the Office. As the mistakes were attributable to the Patent and Trademark Office, no fee is required.

Specifically, claim 27 of U.S. Patent No. 6,939,545 ("the '545 patent") reads as follows:

27. The method of claim 20, wherein said IL-22 comprises amino acid sequence to amino acids 34-179 of SEQ ID NO:2, wherein said IL-22 is capable of inducing the phosphorylation of a Stat-3 protein.

However, as is apparent from the file history, including claim 46¹ of the Amendment and Response to Office Action filed 12 July 2004, claim 27 of the '545 patent should read as follows (with missing words underlined):

27. The method of claim 20, wherein said IL-22 comprises an amino acid sequence that is at least 90% identical to amino acids 34-179 of SEQ ID NO:2, wherein said IL-22 is capable of inducing the phosphorylation of a Stat-3 protein.

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Respectfully submitted,
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¹ Renumbered as claim 27 in the '545 patent.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 27, column 58, line 41, "amino acid sequence to amino acids 34-179" should read --an amino acid sequence that is at least 90% identical to amino acids 34-179--.

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